John Gallagher and Thomas Gallagher spent a few days in Alma last week visiting friends.

Mrs. Rubie Vogelsong is entertaining relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cline have re-

turned from Three Rivers where they visited Mrs. Cline's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grover and family called on friends near Shepherd,

ELM HALL.

Mrs. Edna Powers and children of

Custer are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seneca

Sly.

Mrs. Martie Mason of Sherman City spent last week with her sisters, Mrs. Wm. Joseph.

Guy Stoughton and family of Sumner spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seneca Sly.

Miss Ella Sabin is spending a few days with her aunt at Vickeryville.

The Misses Culver and Dick of Sherill appears several days last week

Elwell spent several days last week

Wednesday afternoon, .
Mrs. Ed Tissue is entertaining her

granddaughter, Miss Hazel Willets,

Jay VanLeuvan and family of Riv-erdale called on his sister, Mrs. Edna

Mrs. Maude Duffield was a calle

at D. Hicks, Sunday evening.
Fred Howe and family spent Sun-

day with her people, north of River-

F. M. Martin spent the week end

with his daughters in Grand Rapids.

He accompanied his granddaughters

Mrs. Inga Hollabaugh of Ferris

spent last week with her father, Wm

Ray LaVoy and wife spent several days last week at Harrison fishing

Wm. R. Long of Cedar Carners was

Estate of Huldah A. Bogardus

HEARING CLAIMS

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot. At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the Village of Ithaca in said county, on the 1st day

Madge E. Barnes, Register of Probate.

with Mrs. Seymore Harris. Jud Cox of Banister was in

Howe, Saturday.

and berrying.

RIVERDALE ITEMS

By Our Own Correspondent Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen visited

friends at Sheridan, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Brownridge spent Sunday with relatives near Winn.

Master Dale Parkinson of Owosso is visiting at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer. Jean Valance, who has been spending the summer on a farm near Perrinton, is visiting his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Henry Valance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Crystal Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Howe, and

children of Breckenridge, were week end guests of Cash Erskin and family. Mrs. E. M. Highfield, Miss Esther Horton, Miss Mary Holland, Allen Highfield and Elmer Holland spent Wednesday at Rock Lake.

Charlie Langon of Shepherd spent several days this week with his grandmother, Mrs. R. LaMay

The people in Riverdale and vicinity will be pleased to hear Jack Johnson expects to operate a moving picture show in a few weeks. He has purchased P. Taylor's outfit at Elwell and installed the same in his roller skating rink. No doubt Mr. Johnson will be very successful in his undertaking as for the past two weeks the same Jones' moving picture show company of Crystal Lake has been operating in our town and drawing large crowds from the surrounding country and towns, it was also enjoyed very much by the people of Riverdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson spen

Sunday with relatives in Elwell. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Herrington entertained Joseph Herrington and wife of Bangor and Alice Knapp of Grand Rapids over last Sunday.

Miss Erie Anger has gone to Shepherd to spend the remainder of the summer with her sister, Mrs. Claude

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Swope and Miss Marguerite Crawford of Breck-enridge, were guests of W. E. Swope

and family, last week.
M. J. Budge of Ann Arbor was an over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Miss Eva Stevenson, Miss Hazel Moblo, and Allen Highfield were Alma visitors Friday evening.

relatives in Detroit and New York. Miss Hazel Moblo is spending a few days in Ithaca the guest of Mrs.

Francis Brown. Mrs. W. Harrison returned Saturday morning from the Elwell sanatorium, where she has been for the past three weeks for medical treat-

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Manley and daughter visited relatives at Vesta- Illinois.

the guest of Miss Helen Williams, gone to Ohio to attend a reunion of day.

Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren VanLeuven spent Wednesday in St. Louis the business trip to Bay City, Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carna- Mrs. Harry Forney, who has be

A. Schnepp was in Saginaw, Tuesday, on business. John Young spent Saturday and Sunday in Shepherd, the guest of his

mother, Mrs. Jennie Young. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moblo returned Clark at St. Louis, Sunday. Sonday evening from their trip up

the lakes as far as Duluth. Mrs. Wm. Friedunk of Saginaw is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

Emerson Harrison of Alma spent and Mrs. Jesse Harrison.

pneumonia, is gaining sicely.

ter. Wednesday. Vern Norton of St. Louis has been

spending the past ten days on his farm southwest of Elm Hall. were Elwell visitors, Friday.

Mrs. Frank Schnepp and son, Percy, returned Friday morning from their two weeks visit at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Raymond Leonard and daughters, Bethel and Norma of near Elwell were guests of Mrs. John Daven- Mr. Doerr with a beautiful sectional 27, port, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barlett spent

the week end at Pleasant Valley the guests of Walter Bartlett and family. Mrs. Henry Battles of near Jerseyville spent Friday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Warren VanLeuven.

the past week with Mrs. Geoge La- apoo Worm Killer, a pleasant candy Paugh on their farm north of River-

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill of Flint were man and children.

children and Mr. and Mrs. Walter 25c. at all druggists .- Adv. No. 1. Kellicut returned Thursday evening from their two weeks outing at Houghton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Rowley and children of Alma were Sunday guests of Henry Valance and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rosa of North parents, Senca Sly and wife.

Wheeler, were Sunday guests of W. E.

Swope and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Boyer of near Elwell were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Chas Green, Saturday.
Several automobile loads of young people from Alma, Elwell, Sumner and Vestaburg, attended the roller

and Vestaburg, attended the roller skating rink, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald and daughter, Jean, of Saginaw, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Looker.

Chas. Elliott received word Thursday morning, of the death of his uncle Sol Tog.

Miss Marion of Grand Rapidrs is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin.

son, Clark, of near Charlotte, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer.

The Misses Ruth and Esther Shong of Seville Center were week end guests of the Misses Isabelle and Esther Master Donald Moblo returned Wed-

Master Donald Moblo returned Wednesday morning from his week's visit with his grandmother, Mrs. Hart of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen of Wheeler were Riverdale callers, Tuesday.

Miss Iva Tallon spent the week end in St. Louis, the guest of Mrs. Floyd Brewer.

Master Donald Moblo returned Wednesday her grandson Jesse Maxham of Big Rapids.

Earl Winters of Alma spent Sunday with his parents, Allen Winters and wife.

Frank Clapper and wife and Will Smith and wife started Thursday morning for an auto trip to Pittsburg. Fenn., to the latter's old home.

W. E. Swope and family visited friends in Ithaca, Wednesday. Mrs. J. W. Mathews was an over Sunday guest of her daughter, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Erskin of North Star are visiting friends in this vicin-

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winters and children of Alma were Sunday guests of Delbert Hicks and family. Miss Laura Lesh of Lansing is guest of Miss Eva Stevensor

Mrs. John Young and children were week end guests of Mrs. Jennie Young of Shepherd. Miss C. Oakes of near Breckenridge

spent several days last week, with Miss Esther Horton. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bartlett of

Miss Ruby Foster and Master Stoffs from Archie Foster visited relatives at Itha- Waterbury.

Mrs. B. O. Markham and daughters, beulah and Orie, returned Saturday morning from their four weeks visit with relatives at Middleton, Pompeii

of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parkinson. Changed Ownership

years druggist of this place, sold his stock of drugs to B. W. Tuttle of Unionville. The deal was closed on er called at the home of Mr. Booth's visitors Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Reid were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks of Elm Hall.

Miss Mary Holland left Friday morning for a three weeks visit with relatives in Detroit and New York.

Unionville. The deal was closed on Monday. Mr. Tuttle taking possessister, Mrs. Jack Frost, at Carson, City, Thursday.

Miss Ruth Graham has returned from her vacation trip to Canada. She will teach in the primary room are undecided where they will locate and Mr. Wood of Mt. and intend living in Riverdale until Pleasant, the grammar room fall. Mr. Tuttle will move his family board for the present until a desirable Stafford and family, last week.

FOREST HILL

(Intended for last week.) Will Moody is visiting friends in

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Post and Mr. and and Mrs. I. C. Moody made a Mrs. Harry Forney, who has been Saturday and Sunday guests of J. visiting relatives in Flint the past P. Throop. two weeks, returned nome, Thursday.

visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. T. Courter and son, in Appleton, Wis., Monday, Will, attended the funeral of Mrs. Nettie Stafford of Reese is vis-

from their week's outing at Crystal and Mrs. Alice Scaman. Lake, Friday.

year's work with the Church of Christ Rock Lake last Thursday. Sunday in Riverdale, the guest of Mr. oth. He has been employed for the end at Rock Lake resorting with some casuing year. On Friday night, Aug. teacher friends. Miss Eva Stevenson is visiting 11th, the church gave a reception in has been seriously ill with bronchial short program was well rendered, with his grandparents in Sumner. people gave a short review of the last resorting year's accomplishments. The young Mrs. Mate Douglas and niece, Miss

Chas. Going and daughter, Thelma, Elmer Post in a few well chosen words Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. vere Elwell visitors, Friday. the church where light refreshments Friday, were served, after which Mr. Edgar The Ferris Sunday school will have look case, a token of the appreciation give the morning address. of his work for the last year.

WELL CHILDREN ARE ACTIVE

If your child is dull, pale, fretful and wants to lie around, the chances Miss Nina Green has been spending are it is suffering from worms. Kickconfection, liked by all children is what your child needs. You only give Sunday guests of Mrs. Fred Chap- one-half to one lozenge at a time and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Britten and mother should have a box on hand.

ELM HALL.

(Intended for last week.) Romine Moss and wife of Green-

ville are spending a week with her Mrs. Wm. Conner and daughter, Inez, went to Manton, Tuesday to attend Free Methodist Camp meeting. Delbert Hicks and family spent

from Thursday till Sunday evening at Houghton Lake. Chas. Elliott received word Thurs

Miss Leta Carmer left Thursday
morning for Detroit to spend several
weeks with her friend Miss Opal

Mrs. Ed Arnold and son, Albert, of Saginaw are guests of Mrs. Carrie Tailow and family.

Miss Florence Hart of Grand Rapids of Dr. Shaffer and wife.

Will Dewey and wife of Stanton and Floyd Finch and wife of Grand Rapids called on C. L. Brooks and wife, Sun-

O. G. Tuttle and wife of Ithaca spent Sunday with Mrs. T. J. Blair. Mrs. Arlie Butcher went to Alma, Earl Hart of Grand Rapids spent spent Sunday with Mrs. T. J. Bland.
Wednesday in Riverdale, the guest of Mrs. Arlie Butcher went to Alma, Sunday evening, to spend some time with her friend Mrs. Chas Button,

> dleton for the week end.
>
> Mrs. Mattle Sabin is entertaining ner grandson Jesse Maxham of Big

Mrs. Alice Homes and son, Adell, returned home Wednesday evening after spending two weeks with her parents, Frank Shales and wife of Me-

Will Holland and wife and Chas Elliott and wife autoed to South Lyon Thursday to spend a few days at their old home

Mrs. Sam Shoers and children of Flint spent the week end with Eugene Walker and family.

SUMNER ITEMS

The Stoffs annual reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stoffs, Wednesday. The out of town relatives were Lorenzo Cornell of St. Louis and Mrs. Meade Wheaton of Pleasant Palley are the proud parents
of a baby girl.

Miss Ruby Foster and Master

Master Stoffs, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Stoffs from Toledo and Mr. and Mrs.

Gordon Harvey and two sons of Chicago are visiting friends here. Miss Ina Hicks was in Saginaw a few days last week and a week end guest of her brother, Will, near Alma. Clare Harvey of Kaukakee is viscemetery. The family have the symand Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Locey spent iting his mother, Mrs. Tom Lang and the week end in Owosso, the guests sisters, Mrs. Addie Cherry and Mrs. bereavement.

Belle Karr. Jack Robson and Howard Winges Wm. Owen, for the past eleven attended the races at Saginaw last

of August 1916.
Present, J. Lee Potts Judge.
In the Matter of the Estate of
Huldah A. Bogardus, deceased. Mrs, Nettie Stafford of Bay City The above estate having been admitted to Probate and Townsend A. Ely of Alma, Michigan, appointed adhere the first of the week and will was the guest of her brother, Allen

Liy of Alma, Michigan, appointed administrator thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Saturday the 2nd day of December, next, at ten o'clock in the forement. Rev. Mudge autoed to Port Huron and brought his granddaughter, Ethel Austin, home with him. Gilbert Spencer and Ellis Ayers are working in Ionia.

V. D. Stoffs and family spent Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Verne Johnson are visiting relatives in Saginaw, Chagrin Falls and Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. Roy Coonrod and daughter, Georgia, of Elm Hall were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith.

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Mrs. Mesler, Mrs. Stoffs sister, Mrs. Clifford Gee and family at Elwell.

Mrs. Lucy DuClo of Monroe, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose Duvell, the past week returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hicks of Ferris called on the latter's parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hayes and child-land Mrs. Philip Distriction of this order for three succession of this order for three succession of this order for three succession of the hard public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three succession of the hard public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three succession of the hard public notice thereof be given by publication of the form of the for linois.

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FERRIS.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Winchell were

Henry Bailey, who has been visit-Mrs. Helen Scrimger of Detroit is ing his mother and other relatives the past week, returned to his home

iting her brothers and sister, George Mr. and Mrs. E. Parsons returned and W. J. Wilson, Mrs. Josie Beach

The Ferris Sunday school attended Rev. L. C. Doerr closed his first the district Sunday school picnic at at this place on Lord's day, August Miss Nila Beach spent the week

Miss Carrie Bailey of Elwell visitfriends in Freemont for a few days. his honor, welcoming to the beginning ed relatives in this vicinity last week. Little Margaret Van Alstine, who of his second year's pastorate. A Judson Hicks is speeding the week

Different ones gave short talks on the Mrs. Myrtle Hare and little daugh-Rev. Albert Baker, wife and child- work of the church. Mack Wood dur- ter and Miss Lela Davenport are ren visited friends at Summer Cen- ing his talk on the work of the young spending the week at Crystal Lake

peoples Bible class raised over \$100 Mary Holland are visiting relatives this last year for church work. Mr. in New York state.

year's work. They then repaired to M. L. Thompson visited at Seymour the dining room in the basement of Case's and Lemnel Tissues of Crystal

Sias in behalf of the church presented their home coming Sunday, August Elder Kendrick of Chicago will

Miss Hazel Wilson visited her aunt, Mrs. Sate Bailey of near Elwell the first of the week.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

John Gallagher of Ludington was alled here to attend the funeral of his nephew, Delbert Gallagher, whose remains were brought here from Oklahoma, last Monday.

Miss Freda Conley has returned home, after a week's outing at Rock Lake with friends. Miss Elsie Gallagher is attending

amp meeting at Manton which is beng held there now. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stalter of Shep-herd called on Tom Richardson and

Charlie Gallagher Saturday and Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Will Gallagher spent Sunday in Alma the guest of Carl Gallagher and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Shong called on Phil O'Boyle last Tuesday and also attended the funeral of Delbert Gallagher.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Michaels and family are at Manton attending camp

and Mrs. Vester Leonard, Sunday. Mrs. John Leonard entertained company from Detroit for a few days.

Paul Raycraft has returned from Indiana where he spent three weeks with relatives.

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